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LaSalle Parish to hold Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day

BATON ROUGE – Keep Cenla Beautiful, the Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality, the town of Jena, the LaSalle Parish Drinking Water Protection Committee and others are sponsoring a Household Hazardous Materials Collection Day on Sat., April 10 from 8 a.m. until noon. The event will be held behind the LaSalle Parish Courthouse at 1050 Courthouse Street, Jena.

Residents of LaSalle Parish and surrounding areas are invited to drop off paint, antifreeze, household cleaners, household chemicals, pesticides, flammables, corrosives, expired medications, sharps/needles, other household hazardous materials and electronic waste. Products that will not be accepted include ammunition, radioactive devices, fire extinguishers, smoke detectors, televisions, appliances, copiers, furniture and explosives. This collection is for household products only. Large quantities from business, farms or commercial operations will not be accepted.

For more information about the collection day and what can be brought, contact Keep Cenla Beautiful at 318-613-1298, or the town of Jena at 318-992-2148.